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| In re Application of:       | ) |                           |
|                             | : | Examiner: Randolph I. Chu |
| KOJI TAKEKOSHI              | ) |                           |
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| For: MEDICAL IMAGE          | ) |                           |
| HANDLING SYSTEM AND         | : |                           |
| METHOD                      | ) | February 1, 2010          |

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the document identified on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. A copy of that document is attached.

For the concise statement of relevance of the cited non-English document, the Examiner is respectfully referred to the accompanying English abstract.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Any fee required for consideration of this information should be charged, and any overpayment credited, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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